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**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION** 

Please replace the first paragraph on page 1/1, line with the following rewritten

paragraph:

Cross-Reference To Related Application

This is a divisional of Application No. 10/263,168 filed October 3, 2002, now U.S. Patent

No. 6,703,503, which is a divisional of Application No. 10/036,528 filed January 7, 2002, now

U.S. Patent No. 6,482,773, which is a divisional of Application No. 09/521,200 filed March 7,

2000, now U.S. Patent No. 6,348,628, which is a divisional of Application No. 09/011,269 filed

January 30, 1998, now U.S. Patent No. 6,090,753, which is a National Stage Application of PCT

Application No. PCT/JP96/02311 filed August 19, 1996, which was published under PCT Article

21(2) in English, the disclosures of all of which are incorporated herein by reference.

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Please delete the present Abstract of the Disclosure and replace it with the following new Abstract of the Disclosure.

Novel pyridazin-3-one derivatives of formula [1]

$$Q - N = R^{2}$$

$$R^{3}$$
(1)

are provided, which are useful as active ingredients of herbicides, wherein  $R1^1$  is haloalkyl;  $R2^2$  and  $R3^3$  are the same or different and are hydrogen, alkyl, haloalkyl, or alkoxyalkyl; and Q is [Q-1], [Q-2], [Q-3], [Q-4] or [Q-5]. Also provided are their use and intermediates for their production.

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